

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**Southern District of Texas**  
**Holding Session in Houston**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

**RONALD BLOCK**CASE NUMBER: **3:96CR00011-010**

USM NUMBER: 46257-079

Date of Previous Judgment: March 3, 2004  
(Use Date of Last Amended Judgment if Applicable)Robert Monks  
Defendant's Attorney**Order Regarding Motion for Sentence Reduction Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(2)**

Upon motion of ☒ the defendant ☐ the Director of the Bureau of Prisons ☐ the court under 18 U.S.C. § 3582(c)(2) for a reduction in the term of imprisonment imposed based on a guideline sentencing range that has subsequently been lowered and made retroactive by the United States Sentencing Commission pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 994(u), and having considered such motion,

**IT IS ORDERED** that the motion is:

☐ DENIED. ☒ GRANTED and the defendant's previously imposed sentence of imprisonment (as reflected in the last judgment issued) of 160 months **is reduced to** 151 months.

**I. COURT DETERMINATION OF GUIDELINE RANGE** (Prior to Any Departures)Previous Offense Level: 31Amended Offense Level: 29Criminal History Category: IVCriminal History Category: IVPrevious Guideline Range: 151 to 188 monthsAmended Guideline Range: 121 to 151 months**II. SENTENCE RELATIVE TO AMENDED GUIDELINE RANGE**

- ☒ The reduced sentence is within the amended guideline range.
- ☐ The previous term of imprisonment imposed was less than the guideline range applicable to the defendant at the time of sentencing as a result of a departure or Rule 35 reduction, and the reduced sentence is comparably less than the amended guideline range.
- ☐ Other (explain):

**III. ADDITIONAL COMMENTS**☐ See Additional Comments Continued SheetExcept as provided above, all provisions of the judgment dated March 3, 2004 shall remain in effect.**IT IS SO ORDERED.**Order Date: July 2, 2008

Signature of Judge

**SIM LAKE****UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**

Name and Title of Judge

Effective Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(if different from order date)

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